PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTER		DATE	October 28, 2020
MOTOR CARRIER MATTER		DOCKET NO.	2004-48-C
UTILITIES MATTER	✓	ORDER NO.	2020-730

THIS DIRECTIVE SHALL SERVE AS THE COMMISSION'S ORDER ON THIS ISSUE.

Order Approving Transfer of Certificate and Amending Name

SUBJECT:

DOCKET NO. 2004-48-C - Application of Spectrotel, Incorporated for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Facilities Based Local Exchange and Resold Long Distance Telecommunications Services and for Flexible Regulation of Its Local Exchange Services and Alternative Regulation - Staff Presents for Commission Consideration the Request of Spectrotel, Incorporated to Transfer to Spectrotel of the South LLC Its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Facilities Based Local Exchange and Resold Long Distance Telecommunications Services and for Flexible Regulation of Its Local Exchange Services and Alternative Regulation.

COMMISSION ACTION:

In accordance with South Carolina Code Section 58-9-310, Spectrotel, Inc. ("Spectrotel") requests approval of its internal corporate reorganization. The reorganization creates a new affiliate, Spectrotel of the South LLC d/b/a Touch Base Communications, which will be the telecommunications provider for Spectrotel's South Carolina customers. Spectrotel also requests transfer or reissue of its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Spectrotel of the South LLC d/b/a Touch Base Communications.

Spectrotel states the effect of this reorganization is pro forma in nature and transparent to its South Carolina customers, and that its reorganization will not result in any change to service, rates, terms, and conditions offered to customers. All of the current managerial, technical, and financial resources available to Spectrotel will remain available to Spectrotel of the South LLC d/b/a Touch Base Communications.

Notice of this matter was timely published. No person or party intervened. ORS appeared and did not express any objection.

I move that the Commission approve the corporate reorganization request of Spectrotel, Inc. and transfer its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Spectrotel of the South, LLC d/b/a Touch Base Communications.

PRESIDING:	J. Williams	<u>5</u>			SESSION: Regular	TIME: 2:00 p.m.
BELSER	MOTION	YES	NO	OTHER	Present in Hearing Ro	oom

CASTON		✓	Voting via Skype
ERVIN		✓	Voting via Skype
POWERS	✓	✓	Present in Hearing Room
THOMAS		✓	Voting via Skype
C. WILLIAMS		✓	Present in Hearing Room
J. WILLIAMS		✓	Present in Hearing Room

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